Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 01 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 02 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 31 Mar 2023 at 16:26

Confidence: High for a wet start on Saturday then for it to gradually turn drier and brighter through the day. High for mainly dry and bright weather on Sunday and Monday. Low confidence for timings of rain late on Tuesday and on Wednesday.

Headline for Saturday 01 Apr 2023: Cloudy and wet start but becoming drier and brighter. Light northerly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 01 Apr 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Fog
Precipitation probability							
80%	80%	80%	30%	50%	20%	20%	40%

Forecast for Saturday 01 Apr 2023

Weather: Cloudy overnight with spells of rain, heavy at times. The rain will die out during the morning then mostly dry and bright in the afternoon but some very isolated, brief heavy showers are possible. Cloud and patchy light rain or drizzle returning again late in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10% becoming 70% by afternoon, becoming 20% during late evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Poor at first in rain with extensive cloud and fog above 500m but improving through the morning as cloud slowly lifts. Mainly good visibility in the afternoon, perhaps briefly poor in any showers, then low cloud becoming extensive again above 700m late in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/21 W	16/22 W	14/19 NW	11/15 N	12/17 N	14/20 N	14/20 N	12/17 N	12/16 N
300	9/19 W	9/19 W	8/16 NW	6/11 N	7/14 N	9/18 N	8/16 N	7/15 N	6/12 N
Valley	9/19 W	9/19 W	7/16 NW	6/12 N	7/14 N	9/18 N	8/17 N	6/15 N	5/12 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/2	6/1	5/1	5/1	6/3	7/3	6/2	4/-0	4/-0
300	7/5	7/5	7/4	7/5	9/7	10/8	8/6	6/4	6/4
Valley	8/6	8/6	7/5	8/6	10/8	11/9	9/7	7/5	6/5
Freezing Level*	1600m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1200m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A wet start but weather conditions becoming drier and brighter. Streams and rivers will still be high from recent rain.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Fri 31 Mar 2023	12.8mm	39.2mm	49.8mm

Forecast for Sunday 02 Apr 2023

Weather: Cloudy overnight and to start the day with the odd spot of rain. Becoming dry through the morning then increasing amounts of sunshine through the afternoon.

Maximum wind: East or Northeast 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10% at first then becoming 80% through the morning as cloud lifts.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud and fog above 500m overnight and to start the day. This will lift and break up with excellent visibility across the hills by afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6C rising to 10 or 11C.
At 600m: Plus 3C rising to 6C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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